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TO: L. Schnaunbelt Product Manager 21 Registration Division (TS 767C) FROM: Paul Mastradone, Ph.D. Acting Chief, Review Section 1/EFGWB/HED Henry Jacoby, Acting Chief THRU: Environmental Fate and Ground Walt HED (TS 769C) Attached, please find the review of... Reg./File #: 7969-53 Chemical Name: Vinclozolin Type Product: Fungicide Company Name: BASF Purpose: Data requirements for use on tomatoes and cucumbers. Date Received 9/30/88 Action Code: 770 Date Completed: EFGWB #(s): 90032 Monitoring Study Requested: Total Reviewing Time: 1 Day Monitoring Study Volunteered: Deferrals to: __Ecological Effects Branch Dietary Exposure Branch Toxicology Branch

- 1. CHEMICAL: Vinclozolin
- 2. TEST MATERIAL: N/A
- 3. STUDY/ACTION TYPE: Status of data requirements for use on tomatoes and cucumbers.
- STUDY IDENTIFICATION: N/A.
- 5. REVIEWED BY:

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Ź. CONCLUSIONS:

The hydrolysis, photodegradation on soil and in water, aerobic and anaerobic soil metabolism, leaching, crop rotation and fish accumulation data requirements were satisfied as indicated in the EFGWB review of June 21, 1985. Field dissipation studies were conducted for strawberries-no field dissipations for tomatoes and cucumbers.

Vinclozolin does not accumulate in fish.

Vinclozolin was shown to accumulate in rotational crops and rotational restrictions were imposed for strawberries, etc.

Vinclozolin does not undergo significant degradation in sterile water of pH 3 but undergoes fast degradation at pH 6 and 9.

Vinclozolin underwent aerobic degradation in a loam soil of pH 7.4 with a half life of 3-4 days but was more stable in loamy sand of pH of 6.8 with a degradation half life of 3-7 weeks.

Degradation of vinclozolin in water and on soil was not enhanced significantly by exposure to simulated sunlight radiation via a sunlamp. Kd values of 0.59 and 1.38 were obtained for loam and sand soils, respectively. Leaching of vinclozolin aged residues were greater than the parent vinclozolin.

8. RECOMMENDATIONS:

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EFGWB recommends that field dissipation studies be conducted in acidic soils (pH 5.5-6) of the type used to grow tomatoes and cucumbers. The data summarized in the conclusions, above, suggest that vinclozolin is most stable in acidic soils, in water and is not susceptible to photodegradation. These studies should be completed and reviewed prior to registration on tomatoes and cucumbers. However, because available data does not appear to suggest a major leaching and persistence problem, EFGWB may concur with a conditional registration until the field studies are completed.

Crop rotation restrictions for tomatoes and cucumbers should be imposed. The field dissipation data will help in setting proper restrictions.

A note to the PM:

This review concerns only cucumbers and tomatoes and none of the other crops listed on the label.

9. BACKGROUND:

See EFGWB reviews of June 21, 1985.

- 10. DISCUSSION OF INDIVIDUAL TESTS OR STUDIES: N/A.
- 11. COMPLETION OF ONE-LINER: No data included in this submission.
- 12. CBI APPENDIX: None.

1. CHEMICAL:

Common Name vinclozolin

Chemical Name- 3-(3,5-dichlorophenyl)-5-ethenyl-methyl-2,4-oxazolidinedione

Trade Name- Ronilan 50W

Chemical Structure-

- 2. TEST MATERIAL: Not applicable. No new data were submitted.
- 3. STUDY/ACTION TYPE:

Request by the Department of Agriculture of the State of Washington for an Emergency Exemption (Section 18) to use vinclozolin to control white mold (Scerotinia sclerotiorum) on lima beans in Benton, Franklin, and Walla Walla counties. Two applications of one pound of Ronilan 50W each will be made about 7 to 10 days apart. They expect the maximum treated acreage will be 2,500 acres, giving 2,500 lbs ai maximum used. Supporting information is attached.

- . STUDY IDENTIFICATION: Not applicable. No new data were submitted.
- REVIEWED BY:

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Signature: Herbort J. Manying. Date: 17 June 1985

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Samuel M. Creeger Chief, Section 1 EAB/HED Signature:

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CONCLUSIONS:

The environmental fate data in our files supports the use of this fungicide on lima beans. A brief summary of each of the data requirements is as follows:

 Hydrolysis- half-lives at 25°C and pH 9, 6, and 3 were 12 minutes, 61 hours, and 70 days, respectively.

- Photodegradation(aqueous)- buffered solutions at several pH values from 0 to 5 showed varying degrees of degradation. Greatest stability (near 100%) was at pH 2.0 over 23 days. Sensitized photolysis (1.8% acetone) at pH 2-3 gave half-life of 3.6-3.8 hours.
- Photodegradation(soil) half-life on loamy sand soil was 19 days.
- Aerobic soil metabolism- half-life in loamy sand at pH 6.8 was 3-7 weeks;
 half-life in a loam soil at pH 7.4 was 3-4 days.
- Anaerobic soil metabolism- degradation is slower under anaerobic conditions than aerobic.
- Leaching- vinclozolin did not leach in a soil column; aged residues leached weakly.
- Soil field dissipation— Studies in CA, ND, and OR strawberry plots detected residues greater than 0.05 ppm only in the top 12 inches of soil. The ND plot gave a half-life of about one month.
- Rotational crop— an EAB review completed Jan 11, 1983 gave the rotational crop restrictions on the Ronilan label. A copy of this is attached to this review under the heading "Restrictions and Limitations for Strawberries."
- Fish accumulation—Bluegill Sunfish accumulated vinclozolin 100X in edible tissues, 320X in non-edible tissue, and 240X in whole fish. 97-98% depurated after 2 weeks.

8. RECOMMENDATIONS:

The data in EAB files supports the request for an Emergency Exemption (Section 18) to use vinclozolin on lima beans in Washington.

9. BACKGROUND:

A. Introduction

See Section 3 of this review.

B. Directions for Use

See attached information.

10. DISCUSSION OF INDIVIDUAL TESTS OR STUDIES:

A. Study Identification

Not applicable. No new data were submitted.

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